The Brethren

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CHAPTER XV.

THEN came the weariest time of waiting the brethren had ever known, or were to know, although at first they did not feel it so long and heavy. Water trickled from the walls of this cave, and Wulf, who was parched with thirst, gathered it in his hands and drank till he was satisfied. Then he let it run upon his head to cool its aching, and Godwin bathed such of his brother's hurts and bruises as could be come at. Then, lest he should grow stiff, who was sorely bruised beneath his mail, they began to walk up and down the cave.

The time crept on; the moon sank toward the mountains.

"What if they do not come?" asked Wulf.

"Let us wait to think of it till dawn," answered Godwin.

"How can they come, the door being barred?" asked Wulf.

"How did Masouda come and go?" answered Godwin. "Oh, question me no more; it is in the hand of God."

"Look," said Wulf in a whisper. "Who stand yonder at the end of the cave—there by the dead men?"

"Their spirits, perchance," answered Godwin, drawing his sword and leaning forward. Then he looked, and, true enough, there stood two figures faintly outlined in the gloom. They glided toward them, and now the level moonlight shone upon their white robes.

"I cannot see them," said a voice. "Oh, those dead soldiers—what do they portend?"

"At least yonder stand their horses," answered another voice.

Now the brethren guessed the truth and, like men in a dream, stepped forward from the shadow of the wall.

"Rosamund!" they said.

"Oh, Godwin! Oh, Wulf!" she cried in answer. "Oh, Jesu, I thank thee, I thank thee—thee, and this brave woman!" and, casting her arms about Masouda, she kissed her on the face.

Masouda pushed her back and said in a voice that was almost harsh:

"It is not fitting, princess, that your pure lips should touch the cheek of a woman of the assassins."

But Rosamund would not be repulsed.

"It is most fitting," she sobbed, "that I should give you thanks."

Then Masouda kissed her back and, thrusting her away into the arms of Wulf, said roughly:

"So, pilgrims Peter and John, your patron saints have brought you through so far, and, John, you fight right well. Nay, do not stop for our story if you wish us to live to tell it. What! You have the soldiers' horses with your own? Well done! I did not credit you with so much wit. Now, Sir Wulf, can you walk? Yes; so much the better. It will save you a rough ride, for this place is steep, though not so steep as one you know of. Now set the princess upon Flame, for no cat is surer footed than that horse. I, who know the path, will lead it. John, take you the other two. Peter, do you follow last of all with Smoke, and if they hang back prick them with your sword."

A minute more and they were scrambling down a mountain ridge so steep that it seemed as though they must fall and be dashed to pieces at the bottom. Yet they fell not, for, made as it had been to meet such hours of need, this road was safer than it appeared, with ridges cut in the rock at the worst places.

Down they went and down till at length, panting, but safe, they stood at the bottom of the darksome gulf where only the starlight shone, for here the rays of the low moon could not reach.

For a mile or more Masouda led them along the rocky bottom of the gulf, where because of the stones they could only travel at a foot pace, till they came to a deep cleft on the left hand, up which they began to ride. They stumbled on till they reached a little glade where water ran and grass grew.

"Halt," said Masouda. "Here we must wait till dawn, for in this darkness the horses cannot keep their footing on the stones. Moreover, all about us lie precipices, over one of which we might fall. To go forward would be madness. Sit down and rest awhile and let the horses drink a little and eat a mouthful of grass, holding their reins in our hands, for we and they may need all our strength before tomorrow's sun is set. Sir Wulf, say, are you much hurt?"

"But very little," he answered in a cheerful voice; "a few bruises beneath my mail—that is all, for Lozelle's sword was heavy. Tell us, I pray you, what happened after we rode away from the castle bridge."

"This, knights: The princess here, being overcome, was escorted by the slaves back to her chambers, but Sinan bade me stay with him awhile that he might speak to you through me. Do you know what was in his mind? To have you killed at once, both of you, whom Lozelle had told him were this lady's lovers and not her brothers. Only he feared that there might be trouble with the people, who were pleased with the fighting, so held his hand. Then he bade you to the supper, whence you would not have returned, but when Sir Wulf said that he was hurt I whispered to him that what he wished to do could best be done on the morrow at the wedding feast when he was in his own halls, surrounded by his guards.

"'Aye,' he answered, 'these brethren shall fight with them until they are driven into the gulf. It will be a goodly sight for me and my queen to see.' So he suffered you to go, and I left him also. Before I went he spoke to me, bidding me bring the princess to him privately within two hours after we had supped, as he wished to speak to her alone about the ceremony of her marriage on the morrow and to make her gifts. I answered aloud that his commands should be obeyed and hurried to the guest castle. There I found your lady recovered from her faintness, but mad with fear, and forced her to eat and drink.

"The rest is short. Before the two hours were gone a messenger came, saying that the Al-je-bal bade me do what he had commanded.

"'Return,' I answered; 'the princess adorns herself. We follow presently alone, as it is commanded.'

"Then I threw this cloak about her and bade her be brave, and, if we failed, to choose whether she would take Sinan or death for lord. Next, I took the ring you had, the signet of the dead Al-je-bal. We came to the guards, and to them I showed the ring. They bowed also, but when they saw that we turned down the passage to the left and not to the right, as we should have done to come to the doors of the inner palace, they would have stopped us.

"'Acknowledge the signet,' I answered. 'Dogs, what is it to you which road the signet takes?' Then they also let us pass.

"Now, following the passage, we were out of the guest house and in the gardens, and I led her to what is called the prison tower, whence runs the secret way. Here were more guards, whom I bade open in the name of Sinan. They said: 'We obey not. This place is shut save to the signet itself.'

"'Behold it!' I answered. 'It is the signet that he must have sent, sure enough,' the captain said, 'to disobey which is death.'

"So they opened, though doubtfully, and we entered, and I barred the door behind us. Then, to be short, through the darkness of the tower basement, guiding ourselves by the wall, we crept to the entrance of that way of which I know the secret. Aye, and along all its length and through the rock door of escape at the end of which I set so that none can turn it save skilled masons with their tools, and into the cave where we found you. It was no great matter, having the signet, although without the signet it had not been possible tonight, when every gate is guarded."

Seated there on the grass in the darkness Godwin told them of their mad ride and of the slaying of the guards, while Rosamund raised her hands and thanked heaven for its mercies and that they were without those accursed walls.

"You may be within them again before sunset," said Masouda grimly.

"Yes," answered Wulf, "but not alive. Now, what plan have you? To ride for the coast towns?"

"No," replied Masouda, "at least not straight, since to do so we must pass through the country of the assassins, who by this day's light will be warned to watch for us. We must ride through the desert mountain lands to Emesa, many miles away, and cross the Orontes there, then down into Baalbec and so back to Beirut."

"Emesa?" said Godwin. "Why, Salaadin holds that place, and of Baalbec the Lady Rosamund is princess."

"Which is best?" asked Masouda shortly. "That she should fall into the hands of Salah-ed-din or back into those of the master of the assassins? Choose which you wish."

"I choose Salah-ed-din," broke in Rosamund, "for at least he is my uncle and will do me no wrong."

Now at length the summer day began to break, and so soon as the dawn was gray, having drunk their fill and, as they had nothing else, eaten some water cress that grew in the stream, they tightened their saddle girths and started. Scarcely had they gone a hundred yards when from the gulf beneath that was hidden in gray mists they heard the sound of horses' hoofs and men's voices.

"Push on," said Masouda. "Al-je-bal is on our tracks."

Upward they climbed through the gathering light till at length they reached a great table land that ran to the foot of some mountains a dozen miles or more away. Among those mountains soared two peaks, set close together. To these Masouda pointed, saying that their road ran between them and that beyond lay the valley of the Orontes. While she spoke far behind them they heard the sound of men shouting, although they could see nothing because of the dense mist.

"Push on," said Masouda. "There is no time to spare." And they went forward, but only at a hand gallop, for the ground was still rough and the light uncertain.

When they had covered some six miles of the distance between them and the mountain pass the sun rose suddenly and sucked up the mist. This was what they saw: Before them lay a flat, sandy plain; behind, the stony ground that they had traversed, and, riding over it, two miles from them, some twenty men of the assassins.

"They cannot catch us," said Wulf, but Masouda pointed to the right, where the mist still hung, and said:

"Yonder I see spears."

Presently it thinned, and there, a league away, they saw a great body of mounted soldiers. Perhaps there were 400.

"Look," she said. "They have come round during the night, as I feared they would. Now we must cross the path before them or be taken."

Half a mile farther on a shout from the great body of men to their right, which was answered by another shout from those behind, told them that they were seen.

"On!" said Masouda. "The race will be close." So they began to gallop their best.

Two miles were done; but, although that behind was far off, the great cloud of dust to their right grew ever nearer till it seemed as though it must reach the mouth of the mountain pass before them. Then Godwin spoke:

"Wulf and Rosamund, ride on. Your horses are swift and can outpace them. At the crest of the mountain pass wait awhile to breathe the beasts and see if we come. If not, ride on again, and God be with you."

"Aye," said Masouda; "ride and head for the Emesa bridge—it can be seen from far—and there yield yourselves to the officers of Salah-ed-din."

They hung back, but in a stern voice Godwin repeated:

"Ride, I command you both."

"For Rosamund's sake, so be it," answered Wulf. Then he called to Smoke and Flame, and they stretched themselves out upon the sand and passed thence swifter than swallows. Soon Godwin and Masouda, toiling behind, saw them enter the mouth of the pass.

"Who was the man who brought the horses to us?" asked Godwin as they galloped side by side, their eyes fixed upon the ever nearing cloud of dust.

"My father's brother—my uncle, as I called him," she answered. "He is a sheik of the desert, who owns the ancient breed that cannot be bought for gold."

"Then you are not of the assassins, Masouda?"

"No. I may tell you, now that the end seems so near. My father was an Arab, my mother a noble Frank, a Frenchwoman, whom he found starving in the desert after a fight and took to his tent and made his wife. The assassins fell upon us and killed him and her and captured me as a child of twelve. Afterward, when I grew older, being beautiful in those days, I was taken to the harem of Sinan, and, although in secret I had been bred up a Christian by my mother, they swore me to his accursed faith. Now you will understand why I hate him so sorely who murdered my father and my mother and made me what I am—why I hold myself so vile. Yes, I have been forced to serve as his spy or be killed."

"I do not hold you vile," panted Godwin as he spurred his laboring steed. "I hold you most noble."

"I rejoice to hear it before we die," she answered, looking him in the eyes in such a fashion that he dropped his head before her burning gaze, "who hold you dear, Sir Godwin, for whose sake I have dared these things, although I am naught to you. Nay, speak not. The Lady Rosamund has told me all that story—except its answer."

Now they were off the sand over which they had been racing side by side and beginning to breast the mountain slope. So far they had outpaced the assassins, who had a longer and a rougher road to travel, but the great cloud of dust was not 700 yards away, and in front of it, shaking their spears, rode some of the best mounted of their soldiers.

"These horses still have strength. They are better than I thought them," cried Masouda. "They will not gain on us across the mountains, but afterward"—

For the next league they spoke no more, who must keep their horses from falling as they toiled up the steep path. At length they reached the crest, and there, on the very top of it, saw Wulf and Rosamund standing by Flame and Smoke.

"They rest," Godwin said; then he shouted: "Mount! Mount! The foe is close!"

So they climbed to their saddles again, and all four of them together began to descend the long slope that stretched to the plain two leagues beneath. Far off across this plain ran a broad, silver streak, beyond which from that height they could see the walls of a city.

"The Orontes!" cried Masouda. "Cross that, and we are safe." But Godwin looked first at his horse, then at Masouda, and shook his head.

Well might he do so, for, stout hearted as they were, the beasts were much distressed that had galloped so far without drawing rein. Down the steep road they plunged, panting.

"They will reach the plain—no more," said Godwin, and Masouda nodded.

The descent was almost done, and not a mile behind them the white robed assassins streamed endlessly. Godwin plied his spurs and Masouda her whip, though with little hope, for they knew that the end was near. Down the last declivity they rushed till suddenly as they reached its foot Masouda's horse reeled, stopped and sank to the ground, while Godwin's pulled up beside it.

"Ride on!" he cried to Rosamund and Wulf in front, but they would not. He stormed at them, but they replied:

"Nay, we will die together."

Masouda looked at the horses Flame and Smoke, which seemed but little troubled.

"So be it," she said. "Mount in front of the lady, Sir Godwin, and, Sir Wulf, give me your hand, and you will learn what this breed can do."

So they mounted. Forward started Flame and Smoke with a long, swinging gallop, while from the assassins above, who thought that they held them, went up a shout of rage and wonder.

"Their horses are also tired, and we may beat them yet," called the dauntless Masouda. But Godwin and Wulf looked sadly at the ten miles of plain between them and the river bank.

On they went and on. A quarter of it was done. Half of it was done, but now the first of the fedais hung upon their flanks not 200 yards behind. Little by little this distance lessened. At length they were scarcely fifty yards away, and one of them flung a spear.

"Spur the horses, knights!" cried Masouda.

At the sting of the steel Flame and Smoke sprang forward as though they had but just left their stable door, and the gap between pursuers and pursued widened. Two more miles were done, and scarce seven furlongs from them they saw the broad mouth of the bridge, with the towers of Emesa beyond. They descended a little valley and lost sight of bridge and town.

At the rise of the opposing slope the strength of Flame and Smoke at last began to fail beneath their double burdens. They panted and trembled and, save in short rushes, no longer answered to the spur. The assassins saw and came on with wild shouts. Nearer and nearer they drew, and the sound of their horses' hoofs beating on the sand was like the sound of thunder. Now once more they were fifty yards away, and now but thirty, and again the spears began to flash, though none struck them.

Masouda screamed to the horses in Arabic, and gallantly did they struggle, plunging up the hill with slow, convulsive bounds. Godwin and Wulf looked at each other, then, at a signal, checked their speed, leaped to earth and, turning, drew their swords.

"On!" they cried, and, lightened of their weight, once more the reeling horses plunged forward.

The assassins were upon them. Wulf struck a mighty blow and emptied the saddle of the first, then was swept to earth. As he fell from behind him he heard a scream of joy and, struggling to his knees, looked round. Lo, from over the crest of the rise rushed squadron upon squadron of turbaned cavalry, who as they came set their lances in rest and shouted:

"Salah-ed-din! Salah-ed-din!"

The assassins saw also and turned to fly—too late!

"A horse! A horse!" screamed Godwin in Arabic, and presently, how he never knew, found himself mounted and charging with the Saracens.

To Wulf, too, a horse was brought, but he could not struggle to its saddle. Thrice he strove, then fell backward and lay upon the sand, waving his sword and shouting where he lay.

Now the pursuers were the pursued, and dreadful was the reckoning that they must pay. Their horses were outworn and could not fly at speed. Some of the fedais were cut down upon them. Some dismounted and, gathering themselves in little groups, fought bravely till they were slain, while a few were taken prisoners. Of all that great troop of men not a score won back alive to Masyaf.

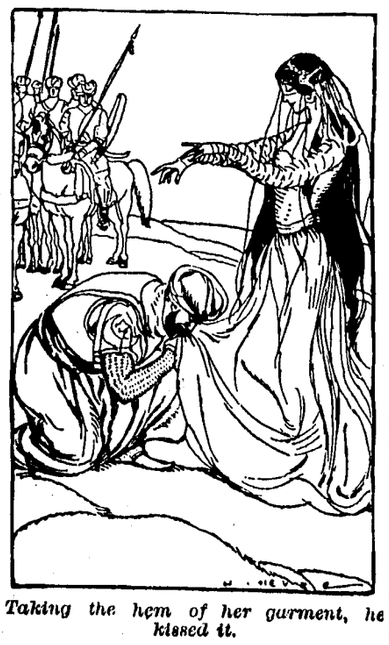
A while later and Wulf from his seat upon the ground saw Godwin riding back toward him, his red sword in his hand. With him rode a sturdy, bright eyed man, gorgeously appareled, at the sight of whom Rosamund sprang to her feet.

"Hassan! Prince Hassan! Is it indeed you? Oh, God be praised!" she gasped.

The emir looked at her, her long hair loose, her face stained, her veil torn, but still clad in the silk and gleaming gems with which she had been decked as the bride elect of Al-je-bal. Then, low to the earth he bent his knee, while the gracious Saracens watched, and, taking the hem of her garment, he kissed it.

"Soldiers, salute!" he said. "Before you stands the Lady Rose of the World, Princess of Baalbec and niece of your lord, Salah-ed-din, commander of the faithful."

Then, in stately salutation to this disheveled, outworn, but still queenly woman, up rose hand and spear and scimiter, while Wulf cried from where he lay:



Taking the hem of her garment, he kissed it.

"Why, it is our merchant of the drugged wine—none other! Oh, Sir Saracen, does not the memory of that chapman's trick shame you now?"

The emir Hassan heard and grew red, muttering in his beard:

"Like you, Sir Wulf, I am the slave of fate and must obey. Be not bitter against me till you know all."

"I am not bitter," answered Wulf, "but I always pay for my drink, and we will settle that score yet."

"Hush!" broke in Rosamund. "Although he stole me, he is also my deliverer and friend through many a peril."

"I do not know all the story, but, princess, it seems that you should thank not me, but these goodly cousins of yours and those splendid horses," said Hassan.

"There is another whom I must thank also—this noble woman, as you will call her also when you hear the story," said Rosamund, flinging her arm about the neck of Masouda.

"My master will reward her," said Hassan. "But, O lady, what must you think of me who seemed to desert you so basely? Yet I reasoned well. In the castle of that son of Satan, Sinan," and he spat upon the ground, "I could not have aided you, for there he would only have butchered me. But by escaping I thought that I might help, so I bribed the Frankish knave with the priceless star of my house," and he touched the great jewel that he wore in his turban, "and with what money I had, to loose my bonds, and while he pouched the gold I stabbed him with his own knife and fled. But this morning I reached yonder city in command of 10,000 men charged to rescue you if I could; if not, to avenge you, for the ambassadors of Salah-ed-din informed me of your plight. An hour ago the watchmen on the towers reported that they saw two horses galloping across the plain beneath a double burden, pursued by soldiers whom from their robes they took to be assassins. So, as I have a quarrel with the assassins, I crossed the bridge, formed up 500 men in a hollow and waited, never guessing that it was you who fled. You know the rest—and the assassins know it also," he added grimly.

"Follow it up," said Wulf, "and the vengeance shall be better, for I will show you the secret way into Masyaf—or, if I cannot, Godwin will—and there you may hurl Sinan from his own towers."

Hassan shook his head and answered:

"I should like it well, for with this magician my master also has an ancient quarrel. But he has other feuds upon his hands," and he looked meaningly at Wulf and Godwin, "and my orders were to rescue the princess and no more. Well, she has been rescued, and some hundreds of heads have paid the price of all that she has suffered. Also that secret way of yours will be safe enough by now. So there I let the matter bide, glad enough that it has ended thus. Only I warn you all—and myself also—to walk warily, since, if I know aught of him, Sinan's fedais will henceforth dog the steps of every one of us, striving to bring us to our ends by murder. Now here come litters. Enter them, all of you, and be borne to the city, who have ridden far enough today. I go to count the slain and will join you presently in the citadel."

So the bearers came and lifted up Wulf and helped Godwin from his horse—for now that all was over he could scarcely stand—and with him Rosamund and Masouda. Placing them in the litters, they carried them, escorted by cavalry, across the bridge of the Orontes into the city of Emesa, where they lodged them in the citadel.

The four—Rosamund, Masouda, Godwin and Wulf—after the hurts of Wulf had been tended by a skilled doctor, went to their beds, whence they did not rise again for two days.

CHAPTER XVI.

ON the third morning Godwin awoke to see the rays of sunrise streaming through the latticed window. They fell upon another bed near by, where Wulf still lay sleeping, a bandage on his head, that had been hurt in the last charge against the assassins, and other bandages about his arms and body, which were much bruised in the fight upon the dreadful bridge.

Wondrous was it to Godwin to watch him lying there sleeping healthily, not withstanding his injuries, and to think of what they had gone through together with so little harm; to think also of how they had rescued Rosamund. Oh, how wise they had been to obey the dying words of their uncle, Sir Andrew, who doubtless was given foresight at the end! God and his saints had helped them, who could not have helped themselves, and his minister had been Masouda.

Why had Masouda done these things, again and again putting her own life upon the hazard to save theirs and the honor of another woman? As he asked himself the question Godwin felt the red blood rise to his face. It was no longer possible to hide the truth. She loved him and had loved him from the first hour when they met. He had always suspected it—when she kissed his feet after he had saved her from the lion, and many another time.

But as they followed Wulf and Rosamund up the mountain pass while the host of the assassins thundered at their heels and in broken gasps she had told him of her sad history, then it was that he grew sure. Then, too, he had said that he held her not vile, but noble, as indeed he did. And, thinking their death upon them, she had answered that she held him dear and looked on him as a woman looks upon her only love. Yet, if this were so, why had Masouda saved Rosamund, the lady to whom she knew well that he was sworn?

An answer came into the heart of Godwin at the very thought of which he turned pale and trembled. His brother was also sworn to Rosamund,

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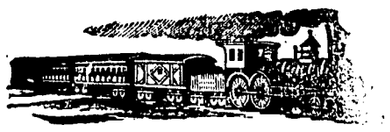

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Bryan is making a vain attempt to dodge silver. In the latest issue of the Commoner the leading editorial bears the omnious title of "In the spirit of 1896." Several things are in the editorial which also call up unpleasant associations for his party. "Democrats have no disposition to forget the Chicago platform," it says, "for that platform represented in 1896, even as it does today, the real conservation of the country. Owing to the unprecedented production of gold, the money question is not and will not be discussed in detail, as it was in the Chicago platform, but the underlying principle of bimetallism, the the quantative theory, hai been amply vindicated, and is now generally recognized."

This talk about the "spirit of 1896" will check that rush of gold Democrats over to Bryan's side. His devotion to what he calls "the underlying principles of bimettalism" shows that he has recanted nothing. He stands just where he stood in 1896, except that he intimates that for the moment it will not be expedient to make any open declaration in favor of throwing the mints wide open to the coinage of silver at the 16 to 1 ratio. He takes back nothing of what he said in favor of the debased dollar ten years ago or six years ago. He merely concedes that the Republican party and the gold miners have taken the money issue out of politics for the time.

But the rise in silver is likely to give Bryan and his friends courage to renew their battle for 16 to 1. Silver has recently averaged 66 cents an ounce. It has gone up 10 cents an ounce in a few months. The Bland coin is no longer a 45-cent dollar, at the market price for silver. It is now a 51-cent dollar, Silver today is about where it was ten years ago when Bryan began his war in favor of throwing open the mints to it at the 16 to 1 ratio, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation. The Bland-Bryan coin may be a 52-cent or a 55-cent dollar by 1908. If the present rise is maintained to that time there will be a strong pressure on Bryan's party to renew its old warfare in favor of silver free coinage. In principle Bryan is, as he shows in his paper, a free silverite. Despite his dodging, his nomination in 1908, if it takes place, will put the silver issue at the front, and make the third battle more disastrous for Bryan and his dupes than the second battle or the first.

Tri-Weekly Mail Service.

Boyd & Daniels, the Mendocino liverymen, have been awarded the contract for carrying the mail between this city and Fort Bragg, the new schedule being for three times a week instead of daily as heretofore. The new service began Monday and will leave this city at 7 a. m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays in future arriving in Mendocino at 8 p. m during the summer and one hour later in the winter. The stage will leave Mendocino for this city Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The every other day service is not looked upon by the residents along the road with favor and a monster petition is being prepared protesting against it as it is without doubt a hardship on them. The reason given by the department is that the Fort Bragg-Alpine service is working so well that the daily service over the stage line is not needed. Mr. Boyd was in this city last week making arrangements for the care of his stock on this end of the line.

Adjourned Till Monday.

The board of supervisors met Tuesday morning and continued some matters that were set to come before it until next week. Adjournment was then taken until Monday the members of the board returning to their homes to spend the fourth.

Donohoe on Skates.

The latest joke is on Surveyor Donohoe. It was reported in this city last week that he got on a skate in Cloverdale and injured one of his legs. It developed latter that he got on a pair of skates and in trying to run a straight line found that his compass was several points off. In trying to sight back to the starting point it is said that he tangled in the chain and the fall of Rome was comparatively small. He has now added a pair of crutches to his wardrobe. His injuries are more painful than serious, however, and he hopes to discard them at an early date.

Hay Is Scarce.

The strike has tied up the hay market on the coast and the price of hay is reported to be from $15 to $18 a ton. As very little hay was cut on the coast this year the only prospects for a reduction is the resumption of traffic.

Postmaster Injured

Postmaster Kirk of Sherwood was injured last week while examining a new pistol. He accidentally dropped the weapon on the floor and received a bullet in the left breast just over the heart. The wound did not prove serious and he is reported to be improving.

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FACTS ABOUT EARTHQAKES

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Sonoma and Mendocino counties a differential movement not exceeding four feet, so far as at present known, whereby the southwest side of the rift was raised relatively to the northeast side, so as to present a low scarp facing the northeast. This vertical movement diminishes to the southeast along the rift line and in San Mateo county is scarcely if at all observable. Still farther south there are suggestions that this movement may have been in the reverse direction but this needs further field study.

The great length of the rift upon which movement has occurred makes this earthquake unique. Such length implies great depth of rupture. and the study of the question of depth will, it is believed contribute much to current geographical conceptions.

In the facts which have been cited we seem to have warrant for a generalization as to the excessively destructive effect of the earth waves as transmitted by the little coherent formations of the valley bottoms. But it must be borne in mind that by far the greater number of structures subject to destructive shock are situated in the valley lands and that there has not yet been time for a detailed comparison of the effects in the valleys with those in the hills where the buildings are founded on firm rock except in a few notable instances.

The most instinctive of these instances is the city of San Francisco, and the facts observed there are entirely in harmony with the generalization above outlined. In the city of San Francisco we may recognize for prelinary purposes four types of ground: (1) The rocky hill slopes; (2) the valleys between the spurs of the hills which have been filled in slowly by natural processes; (3) the sand dunes; (4) the artificially filled land on the fringe of the city. Throughout the city we have a graded scale of intensity of destructive effects which corresponds closely to this classification of the ground. The most violent destruction of buildings, as everybody knows, was on the made ground. This ground seems to have behaved during the earthquake very much in the same way as jelly in a bowl, or as a semi-liquid material in a tank. The earth waves which pass through the highly elastic rocks swiftly with a small amplitude seem in this material to have been transformed into slow undulations of great amplitude which were excessively destructive. The filled in material and swampy foundation upon which it rests behaved, in other words, as a mass superimposed upon the earth's surface, rather than as a part of the elastic crust itself.

In a less degree the same thing is true of the sand dune areas, where the ground was frequently deformed and fissured. In still less degree the naturally filled valleys between the hill spurs were susceptible to this kind of movement, and the destruction of buildings was correspondingly less, but still severe, depending very largely upon the character of the buildings, the integrity of their construction, etc. In portions of these valleys, however, the original surface of the ground has been modified by grading and filling, and on the filled areas the destruction was more thorough than elsewhere in the same valley tracts. On the rocky slopes and ridge tops, where for the most part the vibration communicated to the buildings was that of the elastic underlying rocks, the destruction was at a minimum.

A Tragic finish.

A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In like manner Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., permitted a little cold to go unnoticed until a tragic finish was only averted by Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes: "Three doctors gave me up to die fo of lung inflammation, caused by a neglected cold; but Dr. King's New Discovery saved my life.' Guaranteed best cough and cold cure at J. R. Mathew's Pharmacy. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

For Sale.

House and a quarter of an acre of land one mile from Ukiah. Price $250; rents for $4 a month. This is a genuine bargain. Further particulars at Poage & Woodwards.

Our Correspondents

VALENTIS, July 1.—The roads in this vicinity, which are in the first and second districts, have been in a bad condition since the recent rains and as the supervisors refused to allow the road masters to do any more work on them. Mr. Valenti put several men and a team on and fixed the roads up in pretty good shape. As Mr. Vaventi has several thousand ties to haul to Greenwood he had to have some kind of a road.

It is 100 degrees in the shade as I am writing this article at 2 p. m. Last week at this time it was 50. The weather we have been looking for has arrived at last and we hope it will continue as the recent cold north wind retarded the fruit and grapes and nearly ruined the tomatoes. At present everything looks favorable. The hay has been cut and was above the average crop.

The order of Washington had a meeting at Angelo Frattris on the 25 ult. Several new members were enrolled. After the necessary business was transacted the young people (and old) went to the spacious hall and danced until supper time. The music was furnished by the Wendling band which will also furnish the music for the grand ball to be given at G. Valentis hotel in Greenwood on the Fourth of July. There were about fifteen couples present. Among the prominent people present we noticed E. Symons, Mrs. Smons and Miss Rose Symons, Miss Lena Smith, V. Bacci, Wm. Cameron, Ed Valenti, A. Zimmerman, G. Valenti and Chas. Brown of Philo.

There has been a brown bear prowling around here lately. Last evening one of the men on the ranch was out with a shot gun looking for jack rabbits and discovered bruin. He blazed away at him and set his dog on but the bear took after them and they sprinted away for camp the dog in the lead. The bear has not been seen since. ONE OF THEM.

Congressman McKinlay Explains.

Congressman D. E. McKinlay, says the Beacon, in a letter explaining why the Point Cabrillo lighthouse could not have been located on Kent's point on the south side of Mendocino bay, says: "I had a very desperate fight to get any light for the Mendocino coast at all. The sub-committee of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce commitee which had the lighthouse propositious under consideration was determined to keep its appropriations down below $2,000,000, and therefore at first I recived no encouragement what ever when I began to work for the Mendocino lights; but by and by I got a little opening and things looked better. They then called in the Superintendent of the Lighthouse Board for his recommendation. He recommended aganist putting any lights whatever on the Mendocino coast, not because it was not necessary that a light should be established between Cape Mendocino and Point Arena, but because, in his opinion, there were so many other places in the United States more dangerous to navigation which needed lighthouses or some kind of protection; and therefore he was against our light. But when I did get him to such a point that he had to indicate where the light would be placed on the Mendocino coast he strongly urged its codstruction on Point Cabrillo, on the ground that it would serve to assist navigation over a greater area than would a light beside Mendocino City So it came to be a case of getting the light at Point Cabrillo or of not getting it at all."

Only 82 Years Old.

"I am only 82 years old and don't expect even when I get to be real old to feel that way as I can get Electric Bitters," says Mrs. E. H. Brunson, of Dubland, Ga. Surely there's nothing else keeps the old as young, make the weak as strong as this grand tonic medicine. Dyspepsia, torpid liver, inflamed kidneys or chronic constipation are unknown after taking Electric Bitters a reasonable time. Guaranteed by J. R. Mathews Pharmacy. Price 50c.

Three Trained Goats.

DeLoy Cleveland has a span of trained goats and a bus which he will auction off in front of the court house Saturday afternoon. He also has a single goat which is broke that will be included in the sale. The little animals are wonderfully clever and the boy or girl who is the successful bidder will secure a prize team.

LAYTONVILLE, July 2.—Benjamin Young Gilham died at the county hospital on Wednesday, June, 27, aged 77 years. He was one of the early California pioneers, having crossed the plains in 1850. Suffering unflinchingly all the hardships incident to that long and ardorous trip with ox teams.

Like nearly all those sturdy and intrepid leaders who braved the hundreds of miles of wilderness in search of fortune he died a rejected and poor old man. Being outspoken in manners and harsh in his opinion of others he made few friends. He was never married. His life was one of toil and would read like a book. He saw California grow in wealth, saw San Francisco in its very infancy and remembered when elk, antelope, and wild horses roamed over San Joaquin valleys in droves of thousands.

After his death the sympathy of the entire community was awakened at his sad and distressful ending and he was laid to rest—his remains having been brought up from Ukiah on Thursday—by a kind and sympathetic people, Mr. Beal offered up a prayer and Uncle Ben was but a memory—may he rest in peace.

Q. CUMBER.

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What are your friends saying about you? That your gray hair makes you look old? And yet, you are not forty! Postpone this looking old.

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for Dark Hair

Lots of Autos.

The residents of this section have been able to feast their eyes on automobiles lately as several splendid cars have passed through town of late. One of the finest ever seen in this section was the massive touring car belonging to W. W. Van Arsdale which was driven up from San Francisco by him one day last week. It is reported to be the finest of the kind in the state. It is said that the only drawback to the autos is mud and that otherwise they are able to negotiate the steepest grades.

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Notice

The undersigned will sell at public auction, at his office on the Round valley Indian Reservation, at 9 o'clock Thursday, July 19th, 150 head, more or less, of steers two and one half years of age and over. Terms cash or a certified check on a Willits or Ukiah bank.

HORACE J. JOHNSON,
Superintendent & S. D. A.

Wanted

Young man with a team desires work through hoppicking hauling hops and will do other necessary work but wages must be in accordance with time and kind of labor. For further information call at this office. 3mo.

Took Carbolic Acid.

Dave McGrum. a woodsman, committed suicide at Mendocino last Thursday by taking carbolic acid. The deceased had no relatives in this country as far as known.

Election Announcements.

ROBERT DUNCAN, present incumbent, hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of district attorney of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—L. W. Babcock of this city hereby announces himself as a candidate for school superintendent subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR SHERIFF—R. E. Donohoe of Ukiah hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of the county of Mendocino subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR ASSESSOR—M. A. Thomas, present incumbent, hereby announces that he is a candidate for the office of assessor of the county of Mendocino subject to the decisio of then democratic county convention.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE—D. C. Crockett, present incumbent, heroby announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace of Ukiah township subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR STATE SENATOR—Charles Mflin Hammond of Upper Lake, Lake county, hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of state senator subject to the decision of the Republican state convention.

FOR TREASURER—Dan Gibson hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of treasurer subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR SURVEYOR—Guy Redwine of Covelo hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of county surveyor subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

FOR SHERIFF—M. A. Singleton of Willits hereby announces that he is a candidate for the office of sheriff of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY—T. J. Weldon hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the County of Mendocino, at the election to be held in November, 1906, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention of Mendocino County.

JOHN TAYLOR, present incumbent, hereby announces himself as a candidate for the nomination of coroner and public administrator subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries.

FOR RECORDER—James H. Carothers hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Mendocino county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR—B. N. Springer of Potter takes this method of announcing that he will be a candidate for the office of County Surveyor of Mendocino county, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR—Ed R. Wright, present incumbent, hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Mendocino county, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

FOR CLERK—Hale McCowen, present incumbent, hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of county clerk of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

FOR SHERIFF—A. N. Rawles hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republicon county convention.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR—W. S. Van Dyke of Covelo hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republican county conention.

FOR RECORDER—E. E. Holbrook of Potter hereby announces himself as a candidate for recorder of Mendocino County subject to decision of Republican county convention

FOR SHERIFF—A. J. Fairbanks of Willits hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of the County of Mendocino subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

FOR SUPERVISOR—Gordon Baechtel of Willits hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of supervisor of the third district subject to the decison of the Republican county convention.

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN—L. B. Frasier of Ukiah hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of assembly man for this district subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

FOR RECORDER—Guardy Gibson hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of county recorder subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

BIDS FOR PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.

IN THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Board of Trustees of said Town of Ukiah City, made on the 18th day of June, 1906, sealed bids will be received by the undersigned City Clerk of said Town, at his office in said Town, up to the 9th day of July, 1906 at 7:30 o'clock P. M for printing and furnishing to said Town during the ensuing fiscal year electric light receipts, printed notices for posting, municipal bill heads and claims, authorizations, applications for licenses, letterheads, envelopes, personal property tax receipts, treasurer's receipts, tax receipts, postal cards, license receipts, licenses, dog tax receipts, legal blanks (½ and ¼ sheets, one side and two sides) blank contracts, (two sides), requisitions, ballots and sample ballots, election supplies, assessment lists; also for publishing all matters required by law or the order of said Board to be advertised.

Bids will be received for the whole or any part of the foregoing printing and advertising. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of said City Clerk for at least twenty-five dollars. Envelopes containing bids must be endorsed "Bids for Printing and Advertising" and addressed and delivered to said City Clerk.

The said board reserves the right (and bids are invited on the said condition) to reject part and accept part of any bid and to reject any and all bids.

By order of said Board of Trustees.

Dated at Ukiah City, this 19th day of June, A. D. 1906.

T. L CUNNINGHAM,
City Clerk.

BIDS FOR WOOD.

IN THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the said Board of Trustees of the Town of Ukiah City, made on the 18th day of June, 1906, sealed bids will be received by the undersigned City Clerk of said Town, at office in the said Town, up to the 9th day of July, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for furnishing for use in the electric light plant of said Town, five hundred and twenty-five (525) cords of four-foot wood.

Said wood shall be fir, and to be cut only from sound, growing and standing timber Delivery to be made in said town under the order and direction of the manager of the electric light plant, and delivery to be not later than November 10, 1906.

Bids will be received for the whole or any portion of the amount of wood required. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the said City Clerk for at least ten per cent of the amount of the bid. Envelopes containing bids must be endorsed "Bids for wood" and addressed and delivered to the said City Clerk.

The said board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the said Board of Trustees.

Dated at Ukiah City, this 19th day of June A. D. 1906.

LEE CUNNINGHAM, City Clerk

MENTIONED PERSONALLY

The Wood & Iron is the first trade journal to be re-established in greater San Francisco and the management invites all visiting lumbermen to make their headquarters at the office, Alpha building, 24-26 Drum street, corner of Sacramento.

Attorney J. L McNab was orator at Willits on the fourth and J. C. Ruddock occupied a similar position at Wendling.

Mountain grown strawberries and Loganberries from Paulheim ranch, formerly Thompson's, for sale by Lucas Bros. Fresh daily.

Ewert wants to see you. He will show you the finest machine for the reproducton of voices and music you ever heard. The price is so reasonable that you cannot afford not to own one.

Professor Hargrave went to San Francisco Tuesday and reported that he would attend a wedding while absent. Some of the other members of the board report that he is to be one of the principals in the affair, but the rumor is not generally credited.

Gunnar Spjuth and J. J. Keller were down from Willits to spend the fourth.

Delicious mountain grown berries from Paulheim ranch. Delivered daily to Lucas Bros., Jamison's, Higgins. Ask for Paulheim berries Name stamped on basket.

C. O. McWilliams of Willits was down this week.

H. B. Hickey and family of Albion spent the fourth in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holbrook and family were down from Potter this week and attended the barbecue.

Supervisor Barnard was over from Fort Bragg this week to attend the meeting of the board.

Guardy Gibson returned this week from a trip to the coast in the interests of his candidacy. He reports that the warm spell has not struck the coast.

If you want a sack of good, smooth cooking potatoes, call at C. Hofman's.

Swiss cheese at Lucas Bros.

LOST—A door mat out of Anker's dray between John Cunningham's house and town. Please leave at this office.

Pipe, pumps and tanks at Donohoe & Ganter.

Potatoes—Just received a carload of fine table potatoes at C. Hofman's.

Rev. Wm. P. Pinkham, a prominent Friend minister from Cleveland Ohio, arrived at Ukiah last Friday on a visit to his sisler, Mrs. Dr. McCowen. He will probably remain two or three weeks.

Usual services at the Christian church next Sunday. In the evening the pastor will sing, "The Vesper Bells Were Ringing." A cordial welcome to all.

Supervisor A. J. Fairbanks and family of Willits came down to spend the Fourth in this city. Mr. Fairbanks is making a rattling canvass for the Republican nomination for sheriff and his friends claim that he will be able to land the persimmon. The Democratic candidates in the field are giving him very little anxiety as it is figured that he could beat the whole bunch of them if they could combine their strength.

Finest mountain grown strawberries and Loganberries from Paulheim ranch, formerly Thompson's. Fresh daily at Jamison's.

School supplies at Hutchison & Roeder's.

Plenty of nice fresh butter at the Ideal Cash store.

Sinks, bathtubs, etc., at Donohoe & Ganter

Mrs. Emma Donohoe and daughter Ruth returned this week from a visit to friends and relatives on the coast.

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ROOMS FROM 1$ UP

Mrs. Lily McClure, Lessee
C. E. Ganter, Manager

H. L. McElroy of Willits spent Monday in town. He is on his way to San Francisco on a business visit and may visit Los Aangls before his return.

Marshal Smith of Willits was in town Monday on a professional visit.

Call at Ewert's jewelry store and examine the new Talk-o-phone.

Strawberries and Loganberries from Paulheim ranch, formerly Thompson's. Fresh daily at Higgins'.

Limberger cheese at Lucas Bros.

Our map paper and souvenir envelopes will advertise the county without extra expense. Address W. O. White for samples and prices.

Gilt-edge security against storm and stress of weather in Gilt Edge whisky. Wichman Lutgen & Co., Alameda Cal.

Mrs. Rex Henry of Largo presented her husband with a nine and a half pound girl last Friday. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

H. B. Muir of Willits was in town last Saturday.

Supervisor Fairbanks spent a few days this week in Petaluma and Santa Rosa on a business visit.

I have buyers for town property. What have you? J. M. OWEN.

A meeting of the Republican county central committee is hereby called for July 7 at 10 o'clock a. m. at the office of the chairman, John L. McNab in Ukiah. THOMAS BURNS Sec.

If you want to buy or sell town or country property, call on J. M. Owen.

Holland cheese at Lucas Bros.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Mrs. Clarke and family left last week for their home at Cahto, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Henry Boyle and daughters, with their servants, arrived at the Palace Sunday. The Misses Boyle and maid will spend the summer at Leonard lake, while Mrs. Boyle has engaged a suite at the Palace cottage and will remain in this city.

Dr. and Mrs. Woelffel of Willits visited in this city last week.

Mrs. Henry Smith and daughter, Miss Madge, left this week for Pacific grove where they will spend several of the summer months.

A lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood was instituted at Willits last week.

H. C. Mohn and family were down from Willits last week on a visit.

Mrs. W. W. Porterfield has recovered from her recent illness sufficiently to be around again.

Attorney J W Preston visited Willits one day last week.

John McMurray was a visitor to Willits last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Redemeyer of Cahto returned home last week after visiting friends and relatives in this city for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McFaul in town last week. They have moved back to San Francisco.

Jim Whipple passed through town Tuesday on his way to Fort Bragg on a visit.

Rev. Wilkison informs us that he expects to exhibit the San Francisco and Santa Rosa earthquake views on Thursday night of next week.

Lee R. and J. L. David and Ren Adams left this week for Point Arena, where they expect to remain for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. Snyder expect to leave next week for a camping trip on the coast.

J. V. Johnson of Fort Bragg was struck by a plank thrown from an edger in the Union Lumber company's plant this week and received a compound fracture of the thigh.

Stewart Allen White of the Vallejo Chronicle was in town this week on a visit. He spent several days of his vacation at Willits and reports some good sport fishing.

Mrs. Ralph Greenough accompanied her husband over from Mendocino this week and spent a few days in town visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Greenough was in attendance of the board of education.

Mrs. Sarah Hamilton of Ridgewood is reported to have bought the M. G. Morrison place near Covelo.

Frank Strong was down from Calpella Sunday.

W. W. Porterfield was under the weather a few days last week but is again able to be around.

H. B. Smith was confined to his home last week but has now recovered.

The family of J. R. Mathews are spending their summer outing at Duncan springs.

Mrs. H. B. Chalfant and daughter, Miss Lena Colburn, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Butts.

J. L. McCracken brought in some prime beef this week from his ranch across the river which he disposed of to C. P. Smith. The cattle were said to be in as fine condition as any seen in this city for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flaherty of Willits were down and spent the Fourth in this city. They reported a very enjoyable time.

Follett Morris is down from Sutter creek visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lafe VanDusen and family.

Bud Beattie was in from Hemlock this week and reports that the goat business is good.

Cloverdale Olive Oil at Cloverdale prices. Sold exclusively at J. R. Mathew's pharmacy.

The four women of the tenderloin and their male associate, says the Point Arena Record, were arrested Tuesday for conducting a house of shame contrary to law. The case against the women is bad enough, but what can be said on behalf of the young man in extenuation for leading such a life? The community has been long suffering. The trial was postponed until July 5 when the district attorney is expected to do his duty.

Tom Charlton visited his wife at Napa Sunday and reports that she is much improved in health and doing nicely.

The citizens at a meeting held last Saturday decided to build a fine new house to accommodate the grammar school. The high school district will now have to provide itself with a building and as soon as the trustees can form plans they will be submitted to the electors. This unlooked for expense will be light and in a couple of years be over with and the district have a building in which it will be justly proud. The high school is going to be a success, and we are sure no good citizen will throw an obstacle in the way of providing a house in keeping with the enterprise of the union district, says the Point Arena district.

A trade—A drove of turkeys for some sheep. Inquire at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gibion are spending a few days in Lakeport visiting friends this week.

Hon. Geo. A. Sturtevant and wife of San Francisco came up and spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fine. George is busy with the insurance problem which he is handling for the attorney general's office and will make the six bit companies look like thirty cents before he is through with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman have moved over to their ranch at Talmage.

Ukiah Boys Working at Wendling.

The following students of this county have accepted positions with the Stearns Lumber company at Wendling and will spend their vacations there: Victor Henley, John Hurley, Clarence Hufft, Wesley Rawles, and Keith Eversole. Mr. Eversole was over this week to spend the Fourth with his parents.

Minus Firecrackers

The youth of this city celebrated the natal day this week minus the usual fire cracker. Explosive canes and pistols and various other noise distributors were in evidence, however, and no one seemed to miss the fire crackers. Incidently the danger from fire was greatly lessened.

Barbecue at Pinoleville.

The Pinoleville Indians celebrated the Fourth with a grand barbecue on the fifth. It is reported that they had prepared three beeves and that they had a grand time. Several prominent residents of this city attended the feed and report a swell time.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at last one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrah. Hall's Catarrah Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrah being a constitutional disease, requires a constitunal treatment. Hall' Catarrah Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucuous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting natvre in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its cura ive powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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FIRE BURNS OUT GROCERY STORE

At about midnight Monday night a fire alarm was turned in for the grocery store of Geo. Higgins on the corner of School and Smith streets. The fire company promptly responded but as one of the wrenches had been mislaid some little delay was experienced in getting a stream of water into the building. The interior was pretty much gutted and most of the contents ruined as the blaze had gained considerable headway. As soon as the water was turned on however the boys made short work of things. The origin of the fire is a mystery it having started under the counter. It is supposed that a loose match or some other inflammable substance must have got mixed with some sacks and other things under the counter. The building which is o brick was somewhat damaged and was insured for $1000 being the property of J. S. Hart and Judge J. M. Mannon. The contents of the store was insured for $2500. The law offices of Mannon & Mannon which are located in the adjoining building were damaged to some extent by the water.

A Hard Lot.

of troubles to contend with, spring from a torpid liver and blockaded bowles, unless you awaken them to their proper action with Dr. King's New Life Pills; the pleasantest and most effective cure for Constipation. They prevent Appendicitis and tone up the system. 25c at J. R. Mathews Pharmacy.

Matthews Grocery Burns

At about two o'clock this morning Night Watchman Beattie discovered a fire in the grocery store of P. H. Matthews and immediately turned in an alarm. The fire started under the counter and as the the structure was a wooden one the blaze had spread all over the building in a few minutes. The fire company put up a good fight and prevented any of the ajoining buildings from burning. P. H. Matthews the proprietor who was sleeping over the store jumped out of one of the upper windows and rushed into the store in an endeavor to save his books. He was overcome by the heat and did not regain consciousness for some time but it is now thought he is out of danger.

Davis-Melville Nuptials

The home of P. Westerman was the scene of a quite but pretty wedding Sunday, July 1, when Miss Susie G. Davis and Mr. U. S. Melville vowed to take each other "for better or worse." After the ceremony, which was performed by Geo. D. B. Stewart, the immediate relatives sat down to a lunch. Later the happy couple started amid the usual showers of rice and old shoes for a weeks honeymoon in Lake Co. The bride is the daughter of W. F. Davis of Willits and the groom is the rustling owner of a shingle mill near the same place.

Girl Disappears.

Agnes Wylie a young girl from Fort Bragg who has been visiting her aunt in Berkeley has disappeared The efforts of the police of the bay cities have so far been unavailing.

Miss Rose Sides of Potter was among the Potter people to spend the fourth in this city.

G. H. Griffiths and son of Potter were in town Saturday on a business visit.

For Sale.

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Milliken-Rice Nuptials.

On Wednesday, June 27, 1906, at the hour of 10 a. m. standing, beneath a beautiful wedding bell made of white sweet peas and maiden hair ferns in the south parlor bay window, at the handsome residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Milliken, Miss Eva Josephine, the eldest daughter, was joined in marriege to James Charles Rice of Little River. As the sweet strains of the wedding march played on the piano by Miss Inez Chase Milliken died away, Rev. J. S. Ross pronounced the word which made the happy pair man and wife. The invited guests, relatives of the bride and groom, were then made to sit down to tastily decorated tables in the dinning room where an appetizing collation was spread for their delectation, says the Mendocino Beacon. At the conclusion of the repast a surrey which had been at a place of signal, drove up and the newly-wedded pair started on their honeymoon. Thinking that 225 pounds of Rice were not enough showers of that cereal were thrown at the couples as they departed, amid the wave of handkerchiefs and the cheers of goodbyes. Geo. A. Boyd drove them to Ukiah where they were to take the train to San Francisco and Portland.

Miss Helen Allen of Cloverdale spent the week in town.

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Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.
Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph M. Luce Deceased.

Notice for Publication of time appointed for probate of will.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 2nd day of July, A. D., 1906, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Court Room of said court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino State of California have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Joseph M. Luce, deceased, and for hearing the application of Samuel T. Luce and Kate E. St. Ores for the issuance to them of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioners.

HALE MCCOWEN, County Clerk.
McNab & Hirsch, Attorneys for Petitioners.
Dated June 13th, 1906.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF SUSAN PARK McNAB, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said Deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his office in the Odd Fellow's Building in Ukiah City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated June 25, 1906.

J. L. McNAB,
Administrator of said Estate.

MAURICE HIRSCH,
Attorney for Estate.

Notice to Creditors

ESTATE OF HENRY ELLS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the administrator at his residence at Willits, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

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GEO. H. ELLS, Administrator.

THOMAS, PEMBERTON & THOMAS, Attorneys for Administrator.

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The Brethren

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and she in her soul must be sworn to one of them. Was it not to Wulf?

Women can read each other's heart, piercing veils through which no man may see, and perchance Masouda had read the heart of Rosamund. Oh, without doubt it was so, and Masouda had protected Rosamund because she knew that her love was for Wulf and not for him. The thought was very bitter, and in its pain Godwin groaned aloud, while fierce jealousy gripped his vitals like the icy hand of death. Then Godwin remembered the oath that they two had sworn far away in the priory at Stangate, and, hiding his face in his pillow, he prayed for strength.

It would seem that it came to him—at least, when he lifted his head again the jealousy was gone, and only the great grief remained. Fear remained also, for what of Masouda? How should he deal with her? He was certain that this was no fancy which would pass—until her life passed with it, and, beautiful as she was and noble as she was, he did not wish her love. He could find no answer to these questions, save this—that things must go on as they were decreed. For himself, he, Godwin, would strive to do his duty, to keep his hands clean and await the end, whatever that might be.

Wulf woke up, stretched his arms, exclaimed because that action hurt him, grumbled at the brightness of the light upon his eyes and said that he was very hungry. Then he arose and, with the help of Godwin, dressed himself, but not in his armor. Here, with the yellow coated soldiers of Saladin, grave faced and watchful, pacing before their door—for night and day they were trebly guarded lest assassins should creep in—there was no need for mail.

Then the door opened, and through it appeared the emir Hassan, who saluted them in the name of Allah, searching them with his quiet eyes.

"Few would judge, to look at you, Sir Knights," he said, with a smile, "that you have been the guests of the Old Man of the Mountain and left his house so hastily by the back door. Oh, you are brave men, both of you, though you be infidels. Aye, I, Hassan, who have known many Frankish knights, say it from my heart."

"We thank you, prince, for your praise," said Godwin gravely, but Wulf stepped forward, took his hand and shook it.

"That was an ill trick, prince, which you played us yonder in England," he said, "and one that brought as good a warrior as ever drew a sword, our uncle, Sir Andrew D'Arcy, to an end sad as it was glorious. Still you obeyed your master, and because of all that has happened since I forgive you and call you friend, although should we ever meet in battle I still hope to pay you for that drugged wine."

Here Hassan bowed and said softly:

"When we meet, Sir Wulf, in war—and that, I think, will be an ill hour for me—strike, and strike home. I shall not complain. Meanwhile we are friends, and in very truth all that I have is yours. But now I come to tell you that the Princess Rose of the World—Allah bless her footsteps!—is recovered from her fatigues and desires that you should breakfast with her in an hour's time; also the doctor waits to tend your bruises and slaves to lead you to the bath and clothe you. Nay, leave your hauberk. Here the faith of Salah-ed-din and of his servants is your best armor."

"Still, I think that we will take them," said Godwin, "for faith is a poor defense against the daggers of these assassins, who dwell not so far away."

"True," answered Hassan; "I had forgotten." So thus they departed.

An hour later they were led to the hall, where presently came Rosamund, and with her Masouda and Hassan. She was dressed in the rich robes of an eastern lady, but the gems with which she had been adorned as the bride elect of Al-je-bal were gone, and when she lifted her veil the brethren saw that, though her face was still somewhat pallid, her strength had come back to her and the terror had left her eyes. They sat down and ate with light hearts and a good appetite.

Before their meal was finished the guard at the door announced that messengers had arrived from the sultan. They entered, gray haired men clad in the robes of secretaries, whom Hassan hastened to greet. When they were seated and had spoken with him awhile one of them drew forth a letter, which Hassan, touching his forehead with it in token of respect, gave to Rosamund. She broke its seal and, seeing that it was in Arabic, handed it to her cousin, saying:

"Do you read it, Godwin, who are more learned than I."

So he read it aloud. This was its purport:

Salah-ed-din, commander of the faithful, the strong to aid, to his niece beloved, Rose of the World, Princess of Baalbec.

Our servant, the emir Hassan, has sent us tidings of your rescue from the power of the accursed lord of the mountain, Sinan, and that you are now safe in our city of Emesa, guarded by many thousands of our soldiers, and with you a woman named Masouda and your kinsmen, the two Frankish knights, by whose skill in arms and courage you were saved. Now, this is to command you to come to our court at Damascus so soon as you may be fit to travel, knowing that here you will be received with love and honor. Also I invite your kinsmen to accompany you, since I knew their father and would welcome knights who have done such great deeds, and the woman Masouda with them; or, if they prefer it, all three of them may return to their own lands and peoples.

Hasten, my niece, Lady Rose of the World; hasten, for my spirit seeks you, and my eyes desire to look upon you. In the name of Allah, greeting.

"You have heard," said Rosamund, as Godwin finished reading the scroll. "Now, my cousins, what will you do?"

"What else but go with you, whom we have come so far to seek?" answered Wulf, and Godwin nodded his head in assent.

"And you, Masouda?"

"I, lady? Oh, I go also, since were I to return yonder," and she nodded toward the mountains, "my greeting would be one that I do not wish."

"Do you note their words, Prince Hassan?" asked Rosamund.

"I expected no other," he answered, with a bow. "Only, knights, you must give me a promise. It is that upon this journey you will not attempt to escape with the princess whom you have followed from oversea to rescue her out of the hand of Salah-ed-din."

Godwin drew from his tunic the cross which Rosamund had left him in the hall at Steeple, and, saying, "I swear upon this holy symbol that during our journey to Damascus I will attempt no escape with or without my cousin Rosamund," he kissed it.

"And I swear the same upon my sword," added Wulf.

"A security that I like better," said Hassan, with a smile, "but in truth, knights, your word is enough for me." Then he looked at Masouda and went on, still smiling: "Nay, it is useless, for women who have dwelt yonder, oaths have no meaning. Lady, we must be content to watch you, since my lord has bidden you to his city, which, fair and brave as you are, to be plain, I would not have done."

That same afternoon they started for Damascus, a great army of horsemen. In its midst, guarded by a thousand spears, Rosamund was borne in a litter. In front of her rode Hassan, with his yellow robed bodyguard; at her side Masouda, and behind the brethren, mounted upon ambling palfreys. After them, led by slaves, came the chargers Flame and Smoke and then rank upon rank of turbaned Saracens.

That evening they camped in the desert and next morning, surrounded by wandering tribes of Bedouins, mounted on their camels, marched on again, sleeping that night in the ancient fortress of Baalbec, whereof the garrison and people, having been warned by runners of the rank and titles of Rosamund, came out to do her homage as their lady.

Hearing of it, she left her litter and, mounting a splendid horse which they had sent her as a present, rode to meet them, the brethren, in full armor and once more bestriding Flame and Smoke, beside her and a guard of Saladin's own mamelukes behind. Solemn, turbaned men, who had been commanded so to do by messengers from the sultan, brought her the keys of the gates on a cushion, minstrels and soldiers marched before her, while crowding the walls and running alongside came the citizens in their thousands. Thus she went on, through the open gates, past the towering columns of ruined temples once a home of the worship of heathen gods, through courts and vaults to the citadel surrounded by its gardens that in dead ages had been the Acropolis of forgotten Roman emperors.

Here in the portico Rosamund turned her horse and received the salutations of the multitude as though she also were one of the world's rulers. Indeed, it seemed to the brethren watching her as she sat upon the great white horse and surveyed the shouting, bending crowd with flashing eyes, splendid in her bearing and beautiful to see, a prince at her stirrup and an army at her back, that truly by blood and nature she was fitted to be a queen. Yet as Rosamund sat thus the pride passed from her face and her eyes fell.

"Of what are you thinking?" asked Godwin at her side.

"That I would we were back among the summer fields at Steeple," she answered, "for those who are lifted high fall low. Prince Hassan, give the captains and people my thanks and bid them be gone. I would rest."

Thus for the first and last time did Rosamund behold her ancient fief of Baalbec, which her grandsire, the great Ayoub, had ruled before her.

That night there was feasting in the mighty, immemorial halls and singing and minstrelsy and the dancing of fair women and the giving of gifts. For Baalbec, where birth and beauty were ever welcome, did honor to its lady, the favored niece of the mighty Salah-ed-din.

At dawn the next day on orders received from the sultan they left Baalbec, escorted by the army and many of the notables of the town. That same night they passed through the gates of the city of Damascus, Bride of the Earth, set amid its seven streams and ringed about with gardens, one of the most beautiful and perhaps the most ancient city in the world.

Along the narrow streets, bordered by yellow, flat roofed houses, they rode slowly, looking now at the motley, many colored crowds, who watched them with grave interest, and now at the stately buildings, domed mosques and towering minarets, which everywhere stood out against the deep blue of the evening sky. Thus at length they came to an open space planted like a garden, beyond which was seen a huge and fantastic castle that Hassan told them was the palace of Salah-ed-din. In its courtyard they were parted, Rosamund being led away by officers of state, while the brethren were taken to chambers that had been prepared, where after they had bathed they were served with food.

Scarcely had they eaten it when Hassan appeared and bade them follow him. Passing down various passages and across a court, they came to some guarded doors. Next came more passages and a curtain, beyond which they found themselves in a small domed room lit by hanging silver lamps and paved in tessellated marbles, strewn with rich rugs and furnished with cushioned couches.

At a sign from Hassan the brethren stood still in the center of the room and looked about them wondering. The place was empty and very silent. They felt afraid—of what they knew not. Presently curtains upon its farther side opened and through them came a man turbaned and wrapped in a dark robe, who stood awhile in the shadow, gazing at them beneath the lamps.

The man was not very tall, and slight in build, yet about him was much majesty, although his garb was such as the humblest might have worn. He came forward, lifting his head, and they saw that his features were small and finely cut; that he was bearded, and beneath his broad brow shone thoughtful, yet at times piercing, eyes, which were brown in hue. Now the Prince Hassan sank to his knees and touched the marble with his forehead, and, guessing that they were in the presence of the mighty monarch Saladin, the brethren saluted in their western fashion. Presently the sultan spoke in a low, even voice to Hassan, to whom he motioned that he should rise, saying:

"I can see that you trust these knights, emir," and he pointed to their great swords.

"Sire," was the answer, "I trust them as I trust myself. They are brave and honorable men, although they be infidels."

The sultan stroked his beard.

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Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of said Deceased to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said Deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at her residence at Miller postoffice, Mendocino County California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said Estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated June 4, 1906.

MARY A. RYAN,
Administratrix of the estate of said decedent.

ARTHUR J. THATCHER, Attorney for administratrix.

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Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF PETER NELSON, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, John Taylor, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his residence in Ukiah City, Mendocino County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated June 6, 1906.

JOHN TAYLOR,
Administrator of the Estate of Peter Nelson, Deceased.

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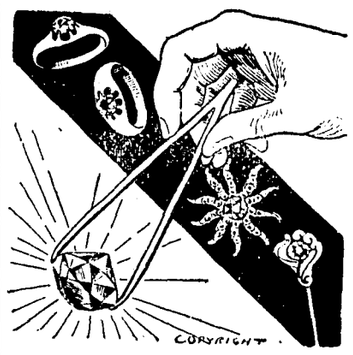

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also, like their father, whom I remember well, and, if all I hear is true, brave indeed. Sir Knights, do you understand my language?"

"Sufficiently to speak it, lord," answered Godwin, "who have learned it since childhood, yet ill enough."

"Good. Then tell me, as soldiers to a soldier, what do you seek from Salah-ed-din?"

"Our cousin, the Lady Rosamund, who, by your command, was stolen from our home in England."

"Knights, she is your cousin, that I know, as surely as I know that she is my niece. Tell me now, is she aught more to you?" and he searched them with those piercing eyes.

Godwin looked at Wulf, who said in English:

"Speak the whole truth, brother. From that man nothing can be hid."

Then Godwin answered:

"Sire, we love her and are affianced to her."

The sultan stared at them in surprise.

"What! Both of you?" he asked.

"Yes, both."

"And doth she love you both?"

"Yes," replied Godwin, "both, or so she says."

Saladin stroked his beard and considered them, while Hassan smiled a little.

"Then, knights," he said presently, "tell me which of you does she love best?"

"That, sire, is known to her alone. When the time comes she will say, and not before."

"I perceive," said Saladin, "that behind this riddle hides a story. If it is your good pleasure, be seated and set it out to me."

So they sat down on the divan and obeyed, keeping nothing back from the beginning to the end, nor, although the tale was long, did the sultan weary of listening.

"A great story, truly," he said when at length they had finished, "and one in which I seem to see the hand of Allah. Now, listen. The tale that those two Frankish knaves, the priest and the false knight Lozelle, told to you was true. As I wrote to your uncle in my letter, I dreamed a dream. Thrice I dreamed it, that this niece of mine lived and that if I could bring her here to dwell at my side she should save the shedding of much blood by some noble deed of hers—aye, of the blood of tens of thousands—and in that dream I saw her face. Therefore I stretched out my arm and took her from far away. And now, through you—yes, through you—she has been snatched from the power of the great assassin and is safe in my court, and therefore henceforth I am your friend."

"Sire, have you seen her?" asked Godwin.

"Knights, I have seen her, and the face is the face of my dreams, and therefore I know full surely that in those dreams God spoke. Listen, Sir Godwin and Sir Wulf," Saladin went on in a changed voice, a stern, commanding voice. "Ask of me what you will, and, Franks though you are, it shall be given you for your service's sake—wealth, lands, titles, all that men desire and I can grant—but ask not of me my niece, Rose of the World, Princess of Baalbec, whom Allah has brought to me for his own purposes. Know, moreover, that if you strive to steal her away you shall certainly die, and that if she escapes from me and I recapture her, then she shall die. These things I have told her already, and I swear them in the name of Allah. Here she is, and in my house she must abide until the vision be fulfilled."

Now, in their dismay the brethren looked at each other, for they seemed further from their desire than they had been even in the castle of Sinan. Then a light broke upon the face of Godwin, and he stood up and answered:

"Dread lord of all the east, we hear you and we know our risk. You have given us your friendship. We accept it and are thankful and seek no more. God, you say, has brought our lady Rosamund to you for his own purposes, of which you have no doubt since her face is the very face of your dreams. Then let his purposes be accomplished according to his will, which may be in some way that we little guess."

"Well spoken," replied Saladin. "I have warned you, my guests. Therefore blame me not if I keep my word, but I ask no promise from you who would not tempt noble knights to lie. Yes, Allah has set this strange riddle. By Allah let it be answered in his season."

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THE PECTORAL FINS.

Without Them the Fish Would Stand on Its Head.

The pectoral fins of a fish are the two fins, one on each side, just back of the head. These fins aid the fish to some extent in swimming. They are small oars which the fish feathers very beautifully and are of value chiefly to preserve its equilibrium. It is with these fins that the fish maintains its horizontal position in the water when not swimming. Without them the fish would stand on its head. Sometimes a fish loses one or both of its pectoral fins by disease or by accident. A fish without pectoral fins is in a bad way.

While most fishes keep a horizontal position in the water when not swimming, there are fishes that do not. One of these fishes is the filefish, which when motionless suspends itself in the water, head downward, at an angle of forty-five degrees or even nearer the perpendicular. A filefish kept in an aquarium which had lost both its pectoral fins inclined over backward past the perpendicular when motionless to about the same angle that it would have kept in the other direction if its pectoral fins had been intact, so that when not in motion it seemed to be lying at an angle on its back.

In the same aquarium there was a striped bass weighing about a pound and a half, one of whose pectoral fins was attacked at the tip by fungus, which gradually encroached upon it. Finally the diseased portions of the fin were cut off with a pair of sharp shears, the cut being made within the sound part of the fin. At first the fish was like a man in a boat pulling one long oar and one short one—it couldn't hold a course. But it soon accustomed itself to its new condition, and thereafter it got along very comfortably.

SWISS EDUCATION.

A Serious Matter, Guarded Jealously by the State.

One reason why the Swiss fare well is that their public school system is probably the best in the world, and with them public school education is practically compulsory. You can send your child to a private school (in some cantons) if you insist upon so doing, but the face of the government and the force of public opinion are sternly against the practice. In the canton of Solothurn private schools are absolutely forbidden. In other cantons a private school pupil must secure a formal permit from the local authorities, and in some cantons he must pay a charge to the public funds. The idea is that the public schools are good enough for all; that rich and poor are to meet there on even terms; that the public school is the nursery of democracy and patriotism; above all, that democracy is the lifeblood and strength and very soul of the republic, and the republic is Switzerland, and without the republic Switzerland is nothing. Private schools for Swiss children are few in number, and such as exist are under the strict supervision of the state. Education is a serious matter in Switzerland. There is no escape from it. A parent must send his children to school or go himself to jail. They kept a Seventh Day Adventist in jail for two years because he refused to let his child attend school on Saturdays. As it then seemed likely he would spend the rest of his life in a cell he surrendered.—Everybody's Magazine.

The Man Who Sings.

Give us, oh, give us, writes Carlyle, the man who sings at his work! Be his occupation what it may, he is superior to those who follow the same pursuit in silent sullenness. He will do more in the same time, he will do it better, he will persevere longer. One is scarcely sensible of fatigue while one marches to music. The very stars are said to make harmony as they revolve in their spheres. Wondrous is the strength of cheerfulness; altogether past calculation are its powers of endurance. Efforts, to be permanently useful, must be uniformly joyous, a spirit all sunshine, peaceful from very gladness, beautiful because bright.

A Swindle.

An old couple went to a Dublin theater to have a night's amusement. The great Mrs. Siddons was playing "Mrs. Haller," and the poor bodies were kept crying all the evening. At length, at one of the scenes where the great lady came in with her handkerchief again to her eyes, the old man could stand it no longer and, starting to his feet, cried out, "Ye long nosed thief, ye call this divarshun!"

The Deciding Factor.

"The leading lady felt that she had right on her side in her quarrel with the other members of the company, but she decided to let the matter drop."

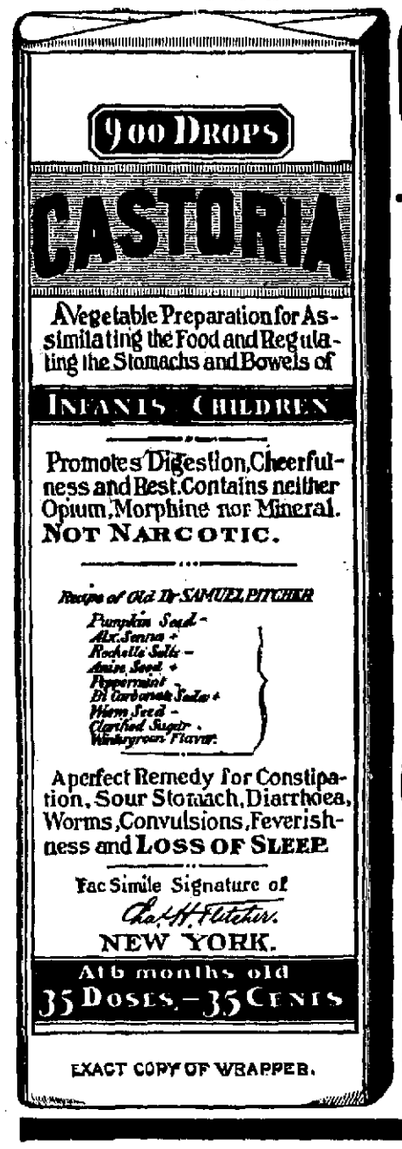
"Afraid the manager wouldn't take her part, eh?"

"No, but she was afraid her understudy would."

A Little Domestic Economy.

"What's the matter with Primly?"

"Why, he went home with a new hat the other day, and it didn't fit very well, so his wife cut his hair away wherever it stuck."



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FILTH IN KOREA.

The Streets of the City Reek With Sewage and Odors.

The streets of Korea are used for every conceivable and inconceivable thing. Down the middle of them or on either side the city's sewage reeks along a sluggish course, carrying with it every possible thing but its own horrible odor. The houses on the main streets, or what might for want of a more descriptive name be called the business streets, are all built with one side open, as houses are built in Japan. There is little or nothing displayed for sale in any shops, and there is seldom anything to detain a loiterer along the way. The Korean woman knows absolutely nothing about the joys and sorrows of shopping. She lives her life in virtuous seclusion, or at least in seclusion, and the tradesmen must needs go to her and thrust their goods respectfully through a small opening in the door of her apartments. What she doesn't want she thrusts out again and then haggles with him over the price of what she has selected, with the thin but not transparent partition between them. So there is little need for attractive shop windows. Since the women make all the men's clothes, they, of course, buy the materials for them also, and I have really never seen anything purchased in a shop. But still they are built with the uselessly open side, and one can buy if one is so inclined, as foreigners so often are. The houses that are not of this description are not to be seen at all, being hidden behind expressionless stone walls capped with tiles and pierced with the tiniest possible gateways.—Leslie's Weekly.

The Oldest Prescription.

The oldest medical prescription in existence bears date of 4000 B. C. It was discovered in an Egyptian tomb, written on papyrus, and has been deciphered by an English professor. It bears evidence that it was intended for some baldheaded Egyptian and reads as follows:

	Parts.
Dog's paw (calloused part)	1
Dates	1
Donkey hoofs	1

Boil the whole in oil and rub the scalp actively with the mixture.

Egyptian history does not say whether or not the patient regained his lost hair.

Hasheesh.

Hasheesh, or the Indian hemp, is a resinous substance produced from the tops of the plant in India. Some authorities state that it is gathered by men who dress themselves in leather clothing and run to and fro in the hemp fields, afterward scraping off the resin from their garments, while other authorities say that it is gathered by rubbing the tops in the hands and afterward scraping the hands. Its narcotic properties are well known.

Old Ships In Norway.

Norwegians have a primitive way of breaking up old, wornout wooden ships. They take them to exposed rocky parts of the coast and, after anchoring them, leave the breakers of the next storm to smash them to pieces. After the storm the floating fragments are picked up and sold for firewood.

Anxious to Repeat It.

Beck (despondently)—I said something my wife didn't like, and she hasn't spoken to me for two days. Peck (eagerly)—Can you remember what it was you said?

Success is like a generous wine which begins by exciting the intellectual faculties and ends by plunging us into a stupid intoxication.—Bougeart.

QUICKSILVER MINING.

An Occupation That Quickly Dooms the Workers.

The chief quicksilver mines in Europe are in the Spanish town Almaden, which is an Arabic word, meaning "the mine of quicksilver." These mines were formerly worked by the Iberians and after them by the ancient Romans. Between 1645 and 1843 the Spanish government employed galley slaves in them, an occupation that soon ended in death. The fumes of the mercury produce constant salivation, and the system becomes permeated with the metal.

At first the victim is seized with tremblings and then the teeth drop out; pains in the bones follow and then death. The annual yield of mercury is 1,500,000 pounds, to produce which 4,000 men are engaged in this unhealthy employment.

After Almaden, so far as yield of quicksilver is concerned, comes Idria, an Austrian town, twenty-eight miles from Triest. These mines also were once worked by criminals, who, owing to the terrible qualities of the mineral, expired after about two years' service.

There are now nearly 500 miners engaged in the work at Idria. They are induced to enter the mines by high pay. A pension is allowed when they are disabled, and provision is made for their widows and children.—Pearson's.

Gunpowder.

The explosive nature of gunpowder, which is made of charcoal, sulphur and saltpeter, is due to the fact that when fired the charcoal and sulphur are burned at the expense of the oxygen in the saltpeter, much heat is developed and large quantities of gas are produced. This gas exerts great pressure on the sides of the gun; hence its disruptive or propulsive effects. When gunpowder is fired in a gun the explosion is not instantaneous. The expansive force of the gases produced acts on the shot all the time it is moving along the barrel and gradually increases its velocity. If the explosion were so sudden as to be practically instantaneous the greater part of the forces would be exerted mainly on the sides of the chamber containing the powder and not, as is actually the case, on the shot.

Study Yourself.

In order to judge of the inside of others study your own, for men in general are very much alike, and though one has one prevailing passion and another has another yet their operations are much the same, and whatever engages or disgusts, pleases or offends you in others will engage, disgust, please or offend others in you.—Chesterfield.

A Disputed Question.

On one occasion a Scotch minister knocked at the door of a house where a husband and wife were quarreling. When admitted he inquired, "Wha's the head of this house?" The man quietly replied: "Sit yersel' doon, mon; sit yersel' doon. We're just trying to settle that the noo."

Habit.

Boss—See here, every time you see a 6 you call it a 2. What's the matter with you—nearsighted? Stenographer—No, sir; it's a matter of habit. I used to clerk in a ladies' shoe store.—Cleveland Leader.

Two Views of It.

Parson—Do you take this woman for better or for worse? Bridegroom—Well, I can't exactly say. Her people think it's for better, but mine think it's for worse.—Life.

THE AMERICAN FEELING.

Loyalty to the Principles of Self Government.

Every American should realize that the principle of self government is a higher principle than that of loyalty to the best sovereign, for it is fidelity to the highest good of all and to virtue, intelligence and God. He who shares in the government gains in moral dignity. His manhood is developed by responsibility. He loves and will maintain a government in which his own will and intelligent choice are involved. He will feel that upon his single arm, his single voice, his single life, hangs the preservation of the government and the national freedom. This is the American feeling. It burns in every true American breast.

England is the only truly free country of the old world, and the Englishman is a free man; but our glory is that humanity itself, one and indivisible, may rise to a higher plane with us than in England. In England the son treads precisely in the footsteps of his fathers, and it is hard for a man to rise above the dead level of the class of society in which he was born. There is an oppressive weight resting on the spirit of the lower classes, and as long as the absolute caste system prevails to such an unnatural and irrational extent the government will feel no sincere desire to educate the people above their present condition. Here is our undeniable ground of superiority. Let us not cast it away by allowing the really vulgar idea of material luxury to overcome and overwhelm the higher and nobler good.—James M. Hoppin in "Old England."

THE GAME OF DRAUGHTS.

So Old That Its Origin Is Lost In the Mists of Antiquity.

Draughts in some shape or form is doubtless a very ancient pastime. Indeed, the safest thing to say about it is that its origin is lost in the mists of antiquity. Representations of persons playing at a game resembling draughts are frequently found on ancient Egyptian monuments at least 3,000 years old. The Greeks had a similar game, from whom possibly it passed to the Romans. At least the old Roman game of latrunculi seems to have been a kind of draughts, though it is doubtful if the game as now played is very ancient. The game was popular and well known in France and Spain in the seventeenth century and was probably played there and in England centuries before that. That it was from France the game came into many of the other countries is evident from the fact that the French name—jeu de dames—passed with it.

Dam or damme was once the regular English name for one of the pieces. In Germany the game is still called damespiel, in Holland the board is dambord, and in Scotland dambrod still survives. In the United States the less usual name of chequers, spelled checkers, is employed. Polish, Spanish, Italian and Turkish draughts are varieties of the same game. The Polish game, which has several peculiarities, was introduced in Paris in 1723 and was at first played on a board of 100 squares with 40 men.—Chambers' Journal.

Ability to See Everything.

A New York surgeon, says the International Journal of Surgery, occasionally takes an applicant for a position on the house staff of the hospital with which he is connected and bids him look out of a window and describe what he sees. Some men practically see nothing at all; others notice but a few things, not always the most important, while the balance appear to observe everything. It is from among the latter that the successful candidate is commonly chosen. It is to the men who see everything that every art and science is indebted for whatever progress they have made, and the surgeon's method of gauging the probable value of a young man's service has nothing in it that is trivial and unimportant.

The Ideal Camera.

The ideal camera for naturalist purposes is one of the reflex type, in which the photographer can see his object—the size of it will be reproduced on his plate, the right way up—and can see it until the moment of exposure. Such a camera with a long bellows and a lens which is intended for a plate at least one size larger than the plate he is using in his camera and also provided with a curtain shutter which works just in front of the plate, with speeds varying from a time exposure up to one two-thousandth part of a second, is the kind of instrument used by most of the naturalist photographers whose work appears in print.—Outdoors.

She Snubbed Napoleon.

Mme. de Chevreuse, a representative of one of the noblest families in France, declined the honor which Napoleon wished to confer on her, that of being maid of honor to his sister-in-law, the queen of Spain. She afterward became Josephine's dame du palais, but always affected to look down on the imperial court. One day she went to a reception at the Tuileries blazing with diamonds. "What splendid jewels," remarked Napoleon. "Are they all real?" "Mon Dieu, sire, I really don't know, but at any rate they are quite good enough to wear here!"

Rude.

"Well," said Mrs. Bruggins after a solo by a fashionable church choir tenor, "if that ain't the rudest thing I ever saw!"

"What?" inquired her niece.

"Why, didn't you notice it? Just as soon as that young man began to sing every other member of the choir stopped. But he went right through with it, and I must say I admire his spunk."

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